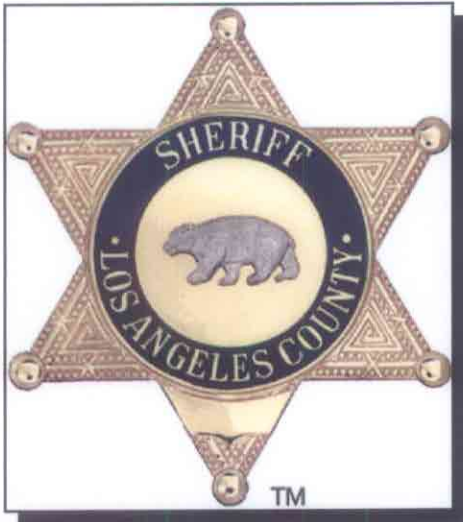




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Community Impact Team



Monthly Administrative Report

AUGUST 1 through AUGUST 31, 2005

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SUMMARY

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In just over eighteen months, the Community Impact Teams have made a total of **10,577** felony and misdemeanor arrests and written **5,735** citations. They have identified and documented many gang members in the field and completed **5,550** field interview cards. Statistics continue to show a marked decrease in gang related crimes in the unincorporated county areas.

Collectively, the teams removed nine firearms from the streets in August alone. The teams continue to maintain a close liaison with Operation Safe Streets Bureau, and have conducted operations that have resulted in the arrests of gang members for charges ranging from the sales of narcotics to possession of assault weapons.

The eleven Community Impact Team members, temporarily assigned to the County Gang Homicide Task Force (CGHTF), have continued to contribute to the overall reduction of gang related crimes in the unincorporated areas of Los Angeles County.

The Community Impact Team's mission has been to reduce gang violence. To date, the teams have succeeded in removing **498** handguns, rifles and assault weapons, which has reduced the number of gang murders. Our mission is to maintain a high level of visibility, constant communication with the community, and to provide zero tolerance to gang and criminal activity and violence.

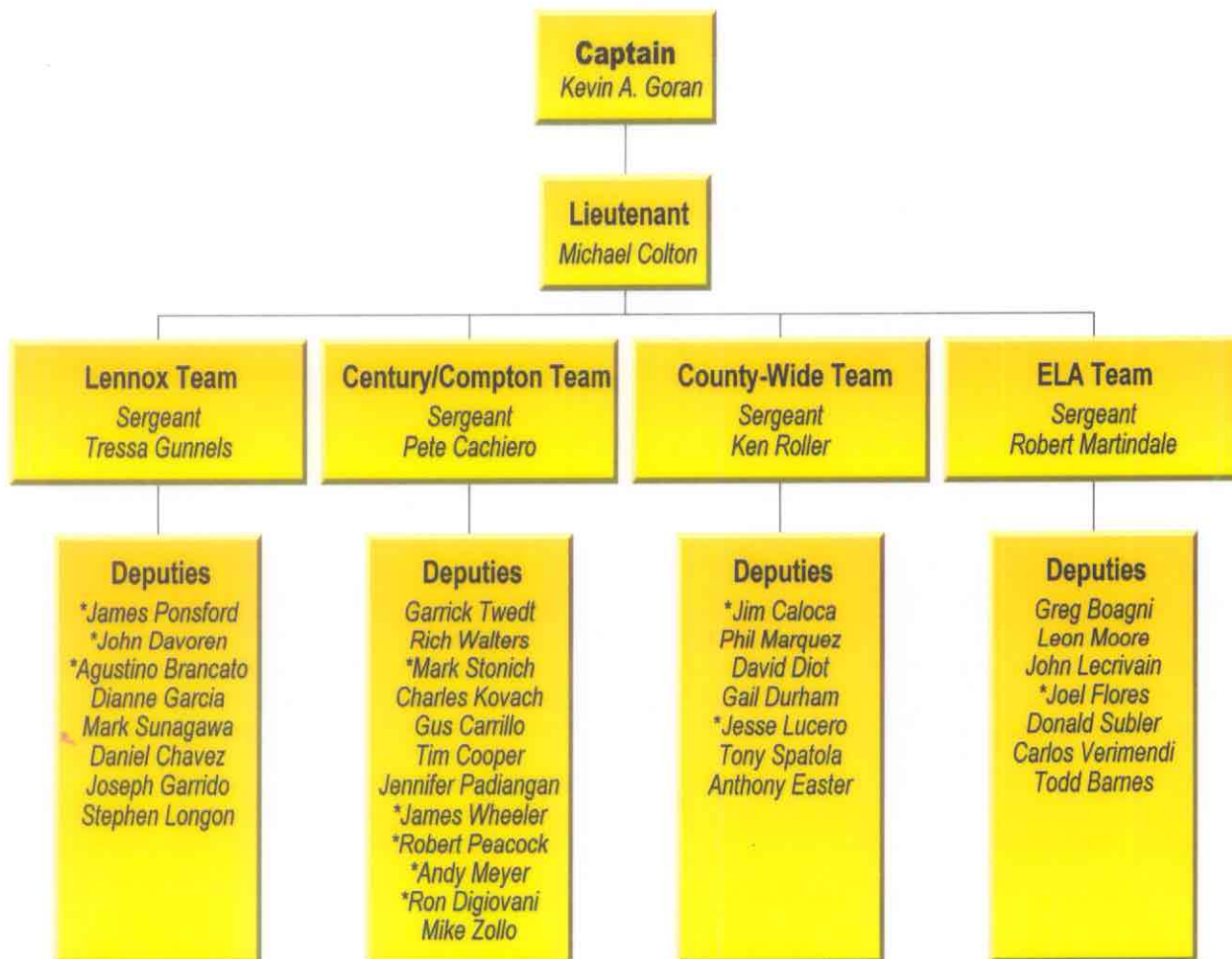
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Community Impact Team Organizational Chart

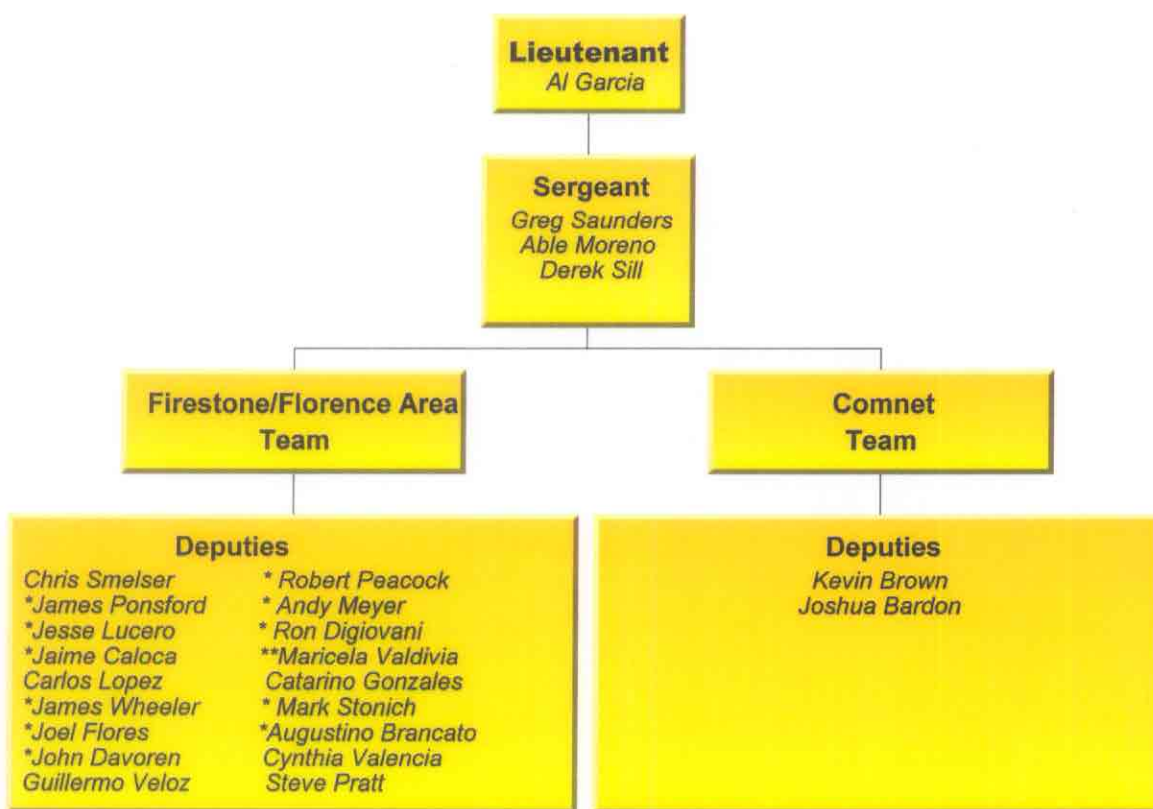


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County Gang Homicide Task Force Organizational Chart



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Community Impact Team

Century	ARRESTS SINCE INCEPTION	Week of Aug 1 - 7	Week of Aug 8 - 14	Week of Aug 15 - 21	Week of Aug 22 - 31	Totals
Felonies	900	0	0	0	0	0
Misdemeanors	1786	0	0	1	0	1
Gun Laws	118	0	0	0	0	0
Citations	1901	0	0	0	0	0
Field Interviews Reports	1773	0	0	0	0	0

Compton	ARRESTS SINCE INCEPTION	Week of Aug 1 - 7	Week of Aug 8 - 14	Week of Aug 15 - 21	Week of Aug 22 - 31	Totals
Felonies	773	2	8	8	7	25
Misdemeanors	1040	10	22	28	25	85
Gun Laws	139	1	2	0	2	5
Citations	671	7	22	36	18	83
Field Interviews Reports	661	5	24	36	30	95

East LA	ARRESTS SINCE INCEPTION	Week of Aug 1 - 7	Week of Aug 8 - 14	Week of Aug 15 - 21	Week of Aug 22 - 31	Totals
Felonies	1094	12	14	9	8	43
Misdemeanors	988	9	14	4	6	33
Gun Laws	73	0	0	0	0	0
Citations	956	17	23	17	15	72
Field Interviews Reports	1493	12	13	13	13	51

Lennox	ARRESTS SINCE INCEPTION	Week of Aug 1 - 7	Week of Aug 8 - 14	Week of Aug 15 - 21	Week of Aug 22 - 31	Totals
Felonies	718	3	2	9	9	23
Misdemeanors	1151	6	9	4	2	21
Gun Laws	120	0	0	2	1	3
Citations	512	7	5	3	1	16
Field Interviews Reports	594	4	8	10	3	25

County-Wide	ARRESTS SINCE INCEPTION	Week of Aug 1 - 7	Week of Aug 8 - 14	Week of Aug 15 - 21	Week of Aug 22 - 31	Totals
Felonies	565	7	1	8	1	17
Misdemeanors	1562	10	15	26	6	57
Gun Laws	48	0	0	1	0	1
Citations	1695	12	15	28	8	63
Field Interviews Reports	1029	12	5	20	4	41

CIT TOTALS	ARRESTS SINCE INCEPTION	Week of Aug 1 - 7	Week of Aug 8 - 14	Week of Aug 15 - 21	Week of Aug 22 - 31	Totals
Felonies	4050	24	25	34	25	108
Misdemeanors	6527	35	60	63	39	197
Gun Laws	498	1	2	2	4	9
Citations	5735	43	65	84	42	234
Field Interviews Reports	5550	33	50	79	50	212

County Gang Homicide Task Force

CGHTF	ARRESTS SINCE INCEPTION	Week of Aug 1 - 7	Week of Aug 8 - 14	Week of Aug 15 - 21	Week of Aug 22 - 31	Totals
Felonies	205	15	0	13	11	39
Misdemeanors	63	0	0	6	0	6
Gun Laws	88	6	0	8	4	18
Citations	51	9	0	21	4	34
Field Interviews Reports	330	15	0	45	15	75



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Highlights for August 1, 2005 through August 31, 2005

Century/Compton Team

During the month of August, the Century / Compton Team made 115 felony and misdemeanor arrests, removed five firearms from the streets and documented ninety-five street gang members.

Some highlights of their actions are listed below:

- The team attended a training class regarding officer safety tactics during traffic stops. The basis of this training was for team members to share their field experiences as well as learn from other participants, regarding tactics used when working with the mind set of violent offenders.
- The team assisted *LA IMPACT* with an ongoing narcotic investigation which had originated in the Compton Station area.
- Deputies Kovach and Padiangan arrested two members of the "4 Deuce Crips" street gang. Both male were on active parole and were arrested for the illegal possession of firearms.
- Deputies Twedt and Walters made several outstanding arrests, both for the possession of narcotics as well as the possession of marijuana for sales.
- Deputies Carrillo, Padiangan and Moffett made two separate arrests of gang members who were driving recently reported stolen vehicles.
- Deputies Twedt and Walters arrested an active "Nutty Block" gang member, who also was currently on active parole, for the possession of an unlawful firearm and several other weapons violations.



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Highlights for August 1, 2005 through August 31, 2005

East Los Angeles Team

During the month of August, the East Los Angeles Team made 76 felony and misdemeanor arrests. They also identified and documented 51 active street gang members.

Some highlights of their actions are listed below:

- Several local area gang members were arrested for the possession of narcotics for sale. It is known that gang members sell narcotics in order to "fund" other illegal transactions, such as the purchase of unlawful weapons.
- Deputies Carrillo and Lecrivain arrested two members of the local "Maravilla" gang. The male juvenile and female adult (who are mother and son) were arrested while driving a reported stolen vehicle. They were booked on grand theft auto, receiving known stolen property as well as miscellaneous narcotic violations.
- Deputies Boagni and Moore contacted a Hispanic gang member from "Lott Stoners" street gang. The male was subsequently arrested for the possession of heroin for sales. He was in possession of 9 individually packaged "balloons" containing the street drug.
- The team conducted a saturation patrol of the City Terrace area and the "Laguna Park" street gang area, including Salazar Park.
- The team assisted patrol Deputies in the investigation of a gang related shooting. They were able to locate and question an eye witness to the event, which may assist in leading investigators to the suspects.
- Deputy Lecrivain observed a male Hispanic gang member violently punching a young female in the face. The suspect was detained and subsequently arrested for spousal abuse and assault with the intent to commit great bodily injury. The seventeen year old female, who was pregnant with the suspect's child, suffered severe facial injuries which required medical transport.



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East Los Angeles Team



The above photographs depict items seized in several of the "narcotic sales" arrests this month. Included with the narcotics are plastic bags, a cell phone and scales.



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East Los Angeles Team



Depicted above are several types of narcotics as well as various methods of packaging the street drugs. These narcotics were confiscated by the East Los Angeles team during the month of August.



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Highlights for July 1, 2005 through July 31, 2005

Lennox Team

During the month of June, the Lennox Team made 44 felony and misdemeanor arrests and removed three firearms from the streets. They identified and documented twenty-five street gang members.

Some highlights of their actions are listed below:

- Deputies Sunagawa, Longan and Garrido arrested 2 separate suspects, both for the possession of marijuana for sales and the possession of narcotics for sales. With these arrests, they were able to seize a notable amount of "street " drugs.
- Deputies Garrido and Sunagawa arrested an active parolee who is also an admitted member of the "Osage Legend Crip" street gang. While conducting a traffic stop of the male's vehicle, they could smell marijuana coming from inside the vehicle. The male admitted to currently being on parole for "car jacking". During a search of the vehicle, Deputies recovered approximately 3 ounces of cocaine as well as marijuana. The cocaine, which appeared to be in a "freshly cooked form", was a substantial amount and the male was booked on possession for sales charges.
- In addition to arresting two active street gang members for illegal firearms violations, Deputies Garrido and Sunagawa located and arrested a wanted suspect out of San Bernardino County. The male was wanted in connection with an identity theft investigation and thus had an outstanding warrant in the amount of 5 million dollars.



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Lennox Team



These photographs show some of the evidence relating to a narcotic and marijuana sales arrests.



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Lennox Team



Above are some of the illegal handguns removed from the streets, by the Lennox Team, during the month of August.



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Highlights for August 1, 2005 through August 31, 2005

County-Wide Team

During the month of August, the County-Wide Team made 74 felony and misdemeanor arrests and removed one gun from the streets. This month the team was deployed in the station areas of Palmdale, Temple, San Dimas, and Pico Rivera. Forty-one street gang members were identified and documented in these 4 station areas.

Some highlights of their actions are listed below:

- While deployed in the Temple Station area, the County-Wide team concentrated the entire team efforts on a high visibility saturation patrol. This was per the request of the station's Special Problems Team Sergeant.
- Deputies Marquez and Durham conducted a traffic stop on a vehicle in the county area of Azusa. The driver, an active "SGV Peckerwood" gang member was arrested for a parole violation. He was wanted as a "parolee at large". His female companion was also arrested for a misdemeanor warrant and released on a promise to appear. During her arrest, she gave information to the team regarding a location which was frequented by another "parolee at large" who was also selling narcotics in the area. The team conducted a surveillance of the location and later arrested a female seen leaving. She was arrested for the possession of methamphetamine for sale.
- The team arrested 2 local "Barrio Locos" street gang members for the possession of a deadly weapon as well as the possession of an illegal "sawed-off" shotgun. The suspect, who was driving a vehicle in violation of several vehicle codes, had a collapsible metal baton in his possession. During a vehicle search, Deputies also located a Halloween type mask as well as the "sawed-off" shotgun. Station detectives were notified and are pursuing charges for several recent armed robberies occurring in the area, which fit the description of the suspects and evidence recovered.
- Deputies Spatola and Diot arrested a male gang member from New York. During their contact with him, it was discovered that he was a "wanted fugitive from justice" out of the state of New York.



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County-Wide Team



In the above photos are two gang members showing their gang tattoos. These males were arrested by the County-Wide Team during the month of August. Below are two photographs depicting some of the evidence recovered.





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Highlights for August 1, 2005 through August 31, 2005

County Gang Homicide Task Force

During the month of August, the County Gang Homicide Task Force (CGHTF) continued its deployment in the Florence / Firestone area. As a result, 45 felony and misdemeanor arrests were made for the month. Eighteen firearms were removed from the streets and 75 street gang members were identified and documented in the target area. The CGHTF also conducted several search warrants throughout the entire county area. These search warrants were served as a result of ongoing investigations leading back to street criminal activities in the Florence / Firestone area.



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County Gang Homicide Task Force

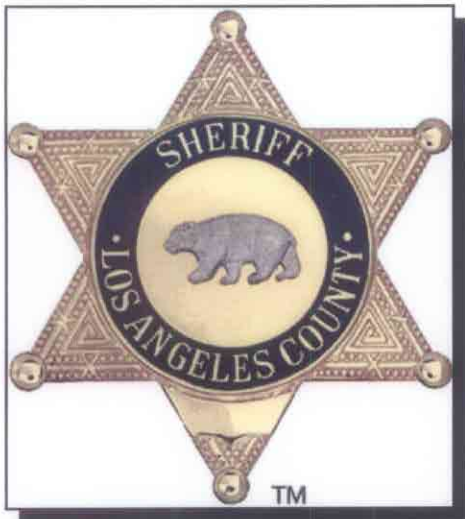


The photographs above depict some of the unlawful high power weapons removed from the street by the County Gang Homicide Task Force.



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In just over eighteen months, the Community Impact Teams have made a total of **10,934** felony and misdemeanor arrests and written **5,970** citations. They have identified and documented many gang members in the field and completed **5,750** field interview cards. Statistics continue to show a marked decrease in gang related crimes in the unincorporated county areas.

Collectively, the teams removed eight firearms from the streets in September alone. The teams continue to maintain a close liaison with Operation Safe Streets Bureau, and have conducted operations that have resulted in the arrests of gang members for charges ranging from the sales of narcotics to possession of assault weapons.

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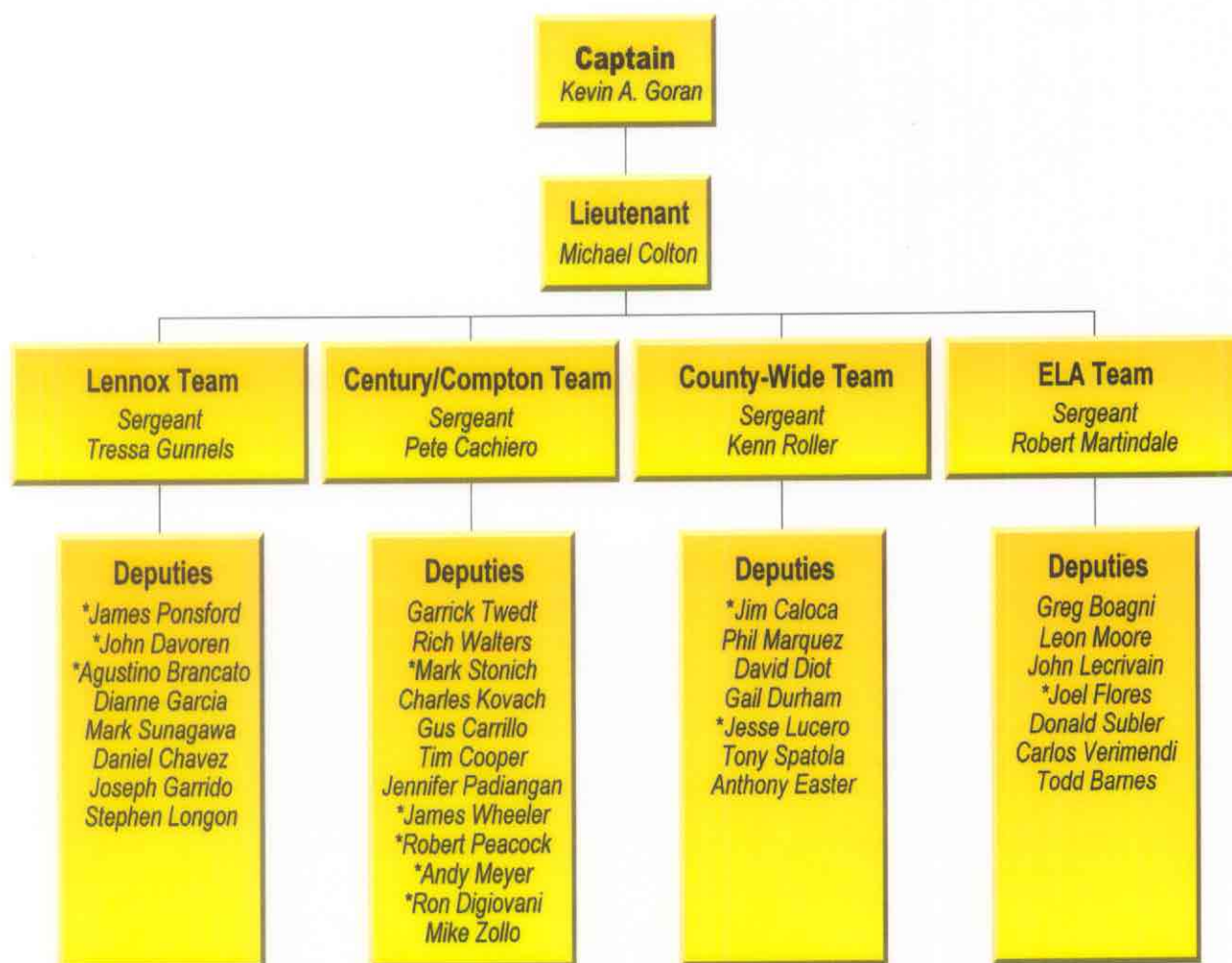
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ORGANIZATIONAL CHART



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Community Impact Team Organizational Chart

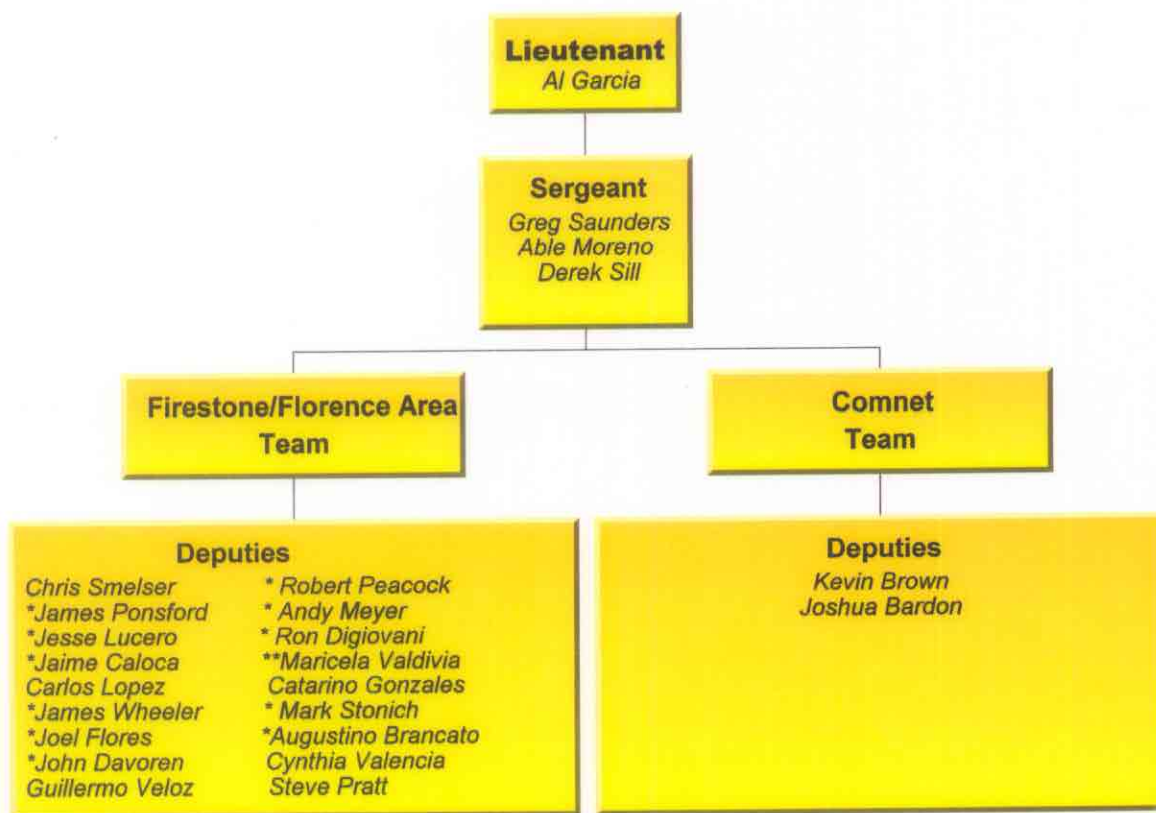


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County Gang Homicide Task Force Organizational Chart



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ARREST STATISTICS

Community Impact Team

Century	ARRESTS SINCE INCEPTION	Week of Sept 1-7	Week of Sept 8-14	Week of Sept 15-21	Week of Sept 22-30	Totals
Felonies	902	1	1	0	0	2
Misdemeanors	1788	0	1	0	1	2
Gun Laws	118	0	0	0	0	0
Citations	1901	0	0	0	0	0
Field Interviews Reports	1773	0	0	0	0	0

Compton	ARRESTS SINCE INCEPTION	Week of Sept 1-7	Week of Sept 8-14	Week of Sept 15-21	Week of Sept 22-30	Totals
Felonies	795	6	9	1	6	22
Misdemeanors	1138	44	15	13	26	98
Gun Laws	144	0	2	0	3	5
Citations	756	35	16	12	22	85
Field Interviews Reports	728	35	12	7	13	67

East LA	ARRESTS SINCE INCEPTION	Week of Sept 1-7	Week of Sept 8-14	Week of Sept 15-21	Week of Sept 22-30	Totals
Felonies	1162	28	5	12	23	68
Misdemeanors	1050	15	12	22	13	62
Gun Laws	75	0	0	0	2	2
Citations	1049	31	16	25	21	93
Field Interviews Reports	1563	28	7	12	23	70

Lennox	ARRESTS SINCE INCEPTION	Week of Sept 1-7	Week of Sept 8-14	Week of Sept 15-21	Week of Sept 22-30	Totals
Felonies	739	10	4	6	1	21
Misdemeanors	1171	5	3	3	9	20
Gun Laws	120	0	0	0	0	0
Citations	528	3	3	3	7	16
Field Interviews Reports	621	9	4	7	7	27

County-Wide	ARRESTS SINCE INCEPTION	Week of Sept 1-7	Week of Sept 8-14	Week of Sept 15-21	Week of Sept 22-30	Totals
Felonies	580	4	9	1	1	15
Misdemeanors	1609	17	8	15	7	47
Gun Laws	49	0	0	0	1	1
Citations	1736	8	12	13	8	41
Field Interviews Reports	1065	22	7	4	3	36

CIT TOTALS	ARRESTS SINCE INCEPTION	Week of Sept 1-7	Week of Sept 8-14	Week of Sept 15-21	Week of Sept 22-30	Totals
Felonies	4178	49	28	20	31	128
Misdemeanors	6756	81	39	53	56	229
Gun Laws	506	0	2	0	6	8
Citations	5970	77	47	53	58	235
Field Interviews Reports	5750	94	30	30	46	200

County Gang Homicide Task Force

CGHTF	ARRESTS SINCE INCEPTION	Week of Sept 1-7	Week of Sept 8-14	Week of Sept 15-21	Week of Sept 22-30	Totals
Felonies	240	9	11	7	8	35
Misdemeanors	75	2	4	3	3	12
Gun Laws	108	6	7	4	3	20
Citations	67	5	5	3	3	16
Field Interviews Reports	391	11	15	17	18	61

MONTHLY HIGHLIGHTS



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Highlights for September 1, 2005 through September 30, 2005

Century / Compton Team

During the month of September, the Century / Compton Team made 124 felony and misdemeanor arrests, removed five firearms from the streets and documented sixty-seven street gang members.

Some highlights of their actions are listed below:

- Deputies developed information of a known drug trafficker who was distributing large quantities of methamphetamine in the Compton area. Surveillance was established and a traffic stop was initiated on the target vehicle. Due to the driver being unlicensed he was arrested and the vehicle impounded. During an inventory search of the vehicle, deputies found a large plastic bag containing approximately one pound of methamphetamine. (Street value of approximately \$8,000.00) The driver was arrested for sales and transportation of narcotics.
- Deputies Twedt, Walters and Padiangan arrested a local street gang member from "CV 70". He was in possession of narcotics and also carrying a loaded, concealed handgun.
- Deputies Kovach and Zollo arrested an "CV155" gang member for possession of methamphetamine. Through further investigation, the suspect provided information to deputies regarding a location that was being used by area gang members to store narcotics and illegal weapons. In addition, the arrested also provided intelligence information regarding a cellular telephone network being used by "CV155" gang members. A search warrant was authored for subscriber/toll information on that cellular service being used. This case is currently being worked in conjunction with the Century Station narcotics division.
- Deputies Carrillo and Cooper contacted a male Hispanic driver regarding several vehicle code violations. The vehicle had pulled into a local motel and when the driver was contacted, he stated that he did not have a license or identification. Deputies were able to confirm that he was living in a room at the motel with his female companion. Deputies went to the room in order to confirm his identity. Once there, they saw the room door was standing open and through the open door saw a large bag containing what they believed to be marijuana. After securing the room and authoring a search warrant, they not only recovered the marijuana, but also recovered approximately 20 grams of methamphetamine and rock cocaine. An illegal firearm was recovered from the room along with \$29,000.00 dollars in U.S. currency. The driver/ suspect was arrested for sales of narcotics as well as the illegal firearm.



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Century / Compton Team

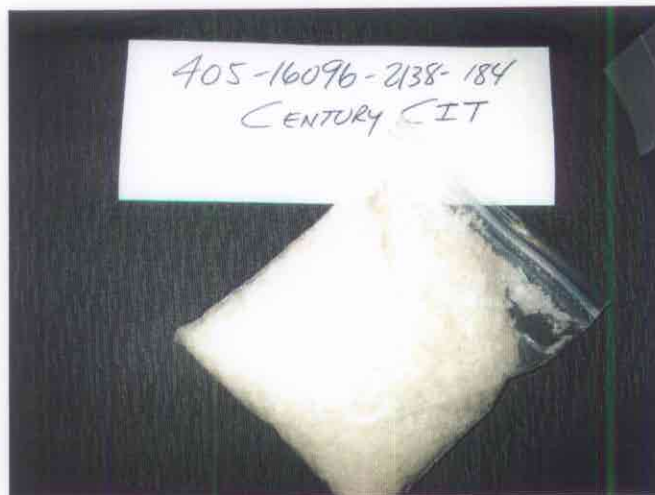


The above photographs depict narcotic and weapon evidence recovered from an unlicensed driver. The suspect is an undocumented foreign national involved in drug trafficking.



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Century / Compton Team



The two pictures above are showing an illegal firearm as well as approximately 1 pound of methamphetamine recovered by the Century / Compton Team.



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East Los Angeles Team

During the month of September, the East Los Angeles Team made 130 felony and misdemeanor arrests, removed 2 firearms from the streets and documented seventy street gang members.

Some highlights of their actions are listed below:

- The East Los Angeles Team spent a majority of their deployment time in the Pico Rivera Station area, which borders the East Los Angeles Station area. This was due to a specific request from Supervisor Molina's office.
- Deputies Lecrivain and Subler contacted two male Hispanics from the "Pico Viejo" street gang. Subsequently, both males were arrested. One of the males was a "Parolee at Large" and the other was in possession of narcotics, (methamphetamine).
- The team arrested a local street "tagger" from "Laguna Park Vikings" for felony vandalism. He was observed by deputies in the process of spray painting his moniker on the exterior walls of the "Auto Zone" business.
- Deputies Barnes and Veramendi arrested a local "Geraghty Lomas" gang member in a stolen vehicle. He was also in possession of two loaded handguns which were concealed in the car.
- Deputies Lecrivain and Subler arrested two members of the "Brown Brotherhood" street gang for the possession and transportation of a large quantity of methamphetamine for sales.
- Deputies Lecrivain and Subler assisted LASD Homicide in locating and arresting a local "Canta Rantas" gang member. He was wanted as a material witness in on-going murder trial.
- Deputies Barnes and Veramendi arrested two male street gang members from "Maravilla Rifa". They were in possession of a large amount of powder cocaine as well as "rock" cocaine.
- The team assisted detectives from the Terrorism Early Warning Group by conducting a surveillance in the Commerce and Compton areas.



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East Los Angeles Team



These photographs depict items seized in several of the “narcotic sales” arrests this month. Included with the packaged narcotics are plastic bags, electronic communication devices, scales, and smoking paraphernalia.





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East Los Angeles Team



Depicted above are some of the illegal firearms removed from the street by the team during the month of September.



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Highlights for September 1, 2005 through September 30, 2005

Lennox Team

During the month of September, the Lennox Team made 40 felony and misdemeanor arrests. They identified and documented twenty -seven street gang members.

Some highlights of their actions are listed below:

- Deputies spent the majority of the week assisting Homicide Bureau and patrol personnel with an ongoing murder investigation. Team members were able to locate several witnesses who were instrumental in the investigation. Ultimately, 3 male Hispanics, associated with the tagging crew "VI" were brought in for questioning and subsequently arrested.
- Deputies Garrido and Sunagawa located a recently stolen vehicle. When they attempted to conduct a traffic stop of the vehicle, the female driver refused to yield. After a short while and with the assistance of Century Station team members, the female was taken into custody.
- Team members assisted Deputies from the Station's Gang Enforcement Team who were involved in a vehicle pursuit. The suspect vehicle crashed and the suspect fled the scene. Acting on information received via their radios, Deputies Garrido and Sunagawa were able to locate and detain the suspect.
- Deputies Garcia and Chavez located and recovered a stolen vehicle which was involved in a large vehicle theft ring. The multi-agency task force, TRAP, had been conducting an operation to recover up to fifty vehicles. This recovery was the last outstanding vehicle. Two females, who were occupying the vehicle, were arrested in conjunction with the theft ring.
- The team assisted Lennox Station patrol in handling a shots fired call. Three people were shot, and among the pandemonium, the team located, detained and ultimately arrested the suspect and recovered the outstanding weapon.
- Deputies Garcia and Chavez arrested 2 recent parolees for transportation and possession of marijuana for sales. The two "107th St Hoover Crip" gang members were in possession of 39 plastic bags containing the drug.



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- Deputies Sunagawa and Garrido arrested a "Crenshaw Mafia" gang member for vehicle burglary. The suspect, who was making an attempt to flee the area on foot, was detained by Deputies and positively identified by the victim.
- In addition to several outstanding narcotic related arrests, Deputies Garrido and Sunagawa arrested an "East Coast Crip" street gang member for the possession of "rock" cocaine.
- The team spent time dealing with several quality of life issues in the Vermont and Central areas of Lennox Station. In doing so, they arrested and documented numerous members of the "Lennox 13" and "Hoover Crip" street gangs who were driving vehicles without a valid driver's license.



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County-Wide Team

During the month of September, the County-Wide Team made 62 felony and misdemeanor arrests and removed one gun from the streets. This month the team was deployed in the station areas of Lancaster, Norwalk, Temple, San Dimas, and Marina del Rey. Thirty-six street gang members were identified and documented in these 5 station areas.

Some highlights of their actions are listed below:

- While assigned at Lancaster Station, the team was tasked with working the Antelope Valley Fair. Their mission was not only to supplement the units assigned at the fair, but to maintain a high visibility to ensure the family atmosphere and to prevent/deter any criminal activity or undesirable behavior by attendees. Team personnel escorted approximately 10 gang members from the fair grounds due to unruly and disruptive behavior.
- The County-Wide CIT was requested to target the San Dimas Station county areas. This was due to several recent murders, gang related assaults and numerous citizen requests in dealing with quality of life issues in that region.
- The team responded to LAX airport as a mutual aid request. The request, made by LAPD and Airport Police, was due to an emergency airplane landing where the landing gear on the airplane was stuck. Members of the County-Wide team were placed at the command post and co-ordinated responding units for necessary deployment.
- Deputies Spatola, Marquez and Easter were conducting follow-up investigation in the area in an attempt to locate a local gang member who possibly had information on a recent gang murder. While checking the area, deputies observed a male who resembled the person they were looking for. As they attempted to contact the individual, he walked into a residence. After determining the gang member did not live at the location nor did the residents know him, the home owners were evacuated and a search began for the gang member who was hiding in the home. As the deputies searched the home, the male, who is a known "Lomas" gang member was located hiding in the attic with a loaded handgun in his possession.



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County-Wide Team



The above photo depicts a gang member showing his gang tattoos. This male was arrested by the County-Wide Team during the month of September. Below is a photo of a firearm recovered by the team while arresting a "Lomas" gang member for burglary.





COMMUNITY IMPACT TEAM

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County Gang Homicide Task Force

During the month of September, the County Gang Homicide Task Force (CGHTF) continued its deployment in the Florence / Firestone area. The County Gang Homicide Task Force made 47 felony and misdemeanor arrests. They identified and documented sixty-one street gang members. This month alone, they recovered 20 illegal firearms, and to date have removed 108 firearms from the streets.

- Team members assisted *COMNET* in executing a search warrant in the "Florescia 13" street gang area. Three people were arrested for the sales of methamphetamine as well as cocaine.
- Team members also authored and conducted three search warrants in the Florence/ Firestone area. This yielded several arrests for possession of narcotics as well as unlawful weapons.
- The team made an arrest of a "Florescia 13" street gang member. The ex-convict was arrested for being in possession of a loaded, concealed firearm. He also possessed a large quantity of methamphetamine at the time of the arrest.
- A male member from the street gang "76 East Coast Crip" was arrested per a request from Homicide Bureau. This person was wanted in connection with a recent homicide in the area.